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## OBITUARIES

### Paul J. Paterni Dies; Ex-Deputy Of Secret Service

Paul J. Paterni, 76, a retired deputy chief of the U.S. Secret Service, died Feb. 5 at St. Patrick's Hospital in Missoula, Mont. He had emphysema.

Mr. Paterni, who lived in Missoula, was born in Franklin, Mich. He moved to Washington in the 1930s and began his career with the Secret Service. During World War II, he served in the Army and the Office of Strategic Services, a forerunner of the Central Intelligence Agency, in North Africa and Italy.

After the war, he returned to the Secret Service and in the early 1950s was special agent in charge of the agency's San Francisco office. About 1955, he returned to Washington and was promoted to inspector. From 1956 to 1960, he was special agent in charge of the Chicago office.

Mr. Paterni was named deputy chief after his service in Chicago and retired from the post in 1965.

He later worked for the Bureau of Engraving and Printing and then became chief of the security staff of the Mint. He retired there in 1971 and moved from Washington to Missoula in 1974.

Mr. Paterni was a member of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, the International Association of Chiefs of Police and the Association of Former Agents of the Secret Service.

Survivors include his wife, Rossana of Missoula; two children, Michael J. of Butte, Mont., and Mark L. of Mount Airey; a sister, Louise Grasseschi, and a brother, George Paterni, both of Detroit, and two grandchildren.